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OVERVIEW

Oklahoma's Promise offers qualified Oklahoma students an opportunity to earn a scholarship for college tuition. Keep in mind, it is only a portion of the total college cost and students will need additional money or scholarships to help pay the remaining portion.

STUDENT REQUIREMENTS

The family income of the student's parents may not exceed \$55,000 at the time of enrollment in the eighth-, ninth- or 10th grade. In addition, prior to receiving any program benefit in college, the federal adjusted gross income (AGI) of the student's parents (or the income of the student if the student is officially determined to be financially independent of their parents) may not exceed \$100,000. For each year in college, Oklahoma's Promise students will be required to complete a Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA), which will be used to determine whether the federal adjusted gross income exceeds \$100,000. For any year that the income exceeds \$100,000, the student will not be eligible to receive the program benefit.

Take 17 units of required high school courses to help get ready for college. The Oklahoma's Promise Curriculum Worksheet (XLSX, 23k) can help you record your grades and make sure you have taken the right courses. You can also get more details about what high school courses count toward the Oklahoma's Promise curriculum. [external link, opens in new window](#)

Other Requirements

- Make a cumulative 2.50 GPA for all courses in grades 9-12.
- Make a cumulative 2.50 GPA or better in the 17-unit OK Promise core curriculum.2
- Do your homework.
- Don't skip school.
- Don't abuse drugs or alcohol.
- Don't commit criminal or delinquent acts.
- Meet with a teacher, counselor or principal to go over your schoolwork and records.
- Provide information when requested.
- Apply for other financial aid during your senior year of high school.
- Take part in Oklahoma's Promise activities that will prepare you for college.
- The student must be a U.S. citizen or lawfully present in the United States at the time they enroll in college in order to receive the scholarship.

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CURRICULUM REQUIREMENTS

| Units | Courses |
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| 4 | English (grammar, composition, literature; courses should include an integrated writing component) |
| 3 | Lab science (biology, chemistry, physics or any lab science certified by the school district; general science with or without a lab may not be used to meet this requirement) |
| 3 | Mathematics (Algebra I, Algebra II, geometry, trigonometry, math analysis, pre-calculus, statistics and probability [must have completed geometry and Algebra II], calculus, Advanced Placement [AP] statistics) |
| 3 | History and citizenship skills (including one unit of American history and two additional units from the subjects of history, economics, geography, government, non-Western culture) |
| 2 | Foreign or non-English language (two years of the same language) or Computer technology (two units in programming, hardware and business computer applications, such as word processing, databases, spreadsheets and graphics, will qualify; keyboarding or typing classes do not qualify) (1 foreign language and 1 computer course will not meet this requirement.) |
| 1 | Additional unit of subjects listed above |
| 1 | Fine arts (music, art, drama) OR Speech |
| 17 | Total Units |

Maximum Limit on Total Hours Paid by OK Promise

OK Promise students graduating high school in 2018 and thereafter may not receive total award payments for more than 129 semester credit hours during their five years of scholarship eligibility, unless their degree program requires more hours.

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